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# PEACE ANSWER TAKEN TO THE

# Rumors of a War Between England and Russia == The Volunteers.

# ENGLAND AND RUSSIA

Another War in Sight Over Railroad Extension.

British Battleships to be Mobilized for Speedy Movement in Case the Bear Shows His Claws.

LONDON, Aug. 6-That an extreme diplomatic tension exists blucen St. Petersburg and London is generally admitted today, Jough officials depreciate the alarmists' report current yesterday It is hoped the firmer stand adopted by Lord Salisbury in the last few days, which it seems is already creating some assitenent at St. Petersburg, will have the desired effect in arriving at Russian aggressiveness. It is felt both here and on the continent, that the outcome of the dispute in regard to the new Chwang railroad extension has reached the crucial point of the success or failure of Great Britain's policy of "open door." As evidence of the fact that Great Britain appreciates the gravity of the situation, the Assooated Press learns that the admirality is preparing for all emergencas and it will soon be ready to mobilize.

# MAY NOT SEE PORTO RICO

### The Fifth Illinois Regiment Again in Hard Luck.

a strong possibility that the 18 regiments abandoned for the present, because all visional division to be commanded by eral Shafter's men to Montank Point, for oral Wads will not embark on the Another reason exists for the abanexpedition at all. The news from Ports donment of the expedition. The admin-Rho smoourages the belief that the Span- | latration has been accused in many quarleh gurrison in the island will be disresult of soon after General Miles reaches for political purposes, and, however the end of his march from Ponce to San groundless the charge may be, the officers Juan Meanwhile, the quartermaster's are unwilling to incur consure until department fluds itself unable to provide there is necessity to do so. bring ity a sufficiently large number of A telegram has been received at the transports for General Wade's expedition, war department from the governor of and the time when there will be no exthe for sending more troops to Porto

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WASHINGTON, August 6,-There is expedition of General Wade had been

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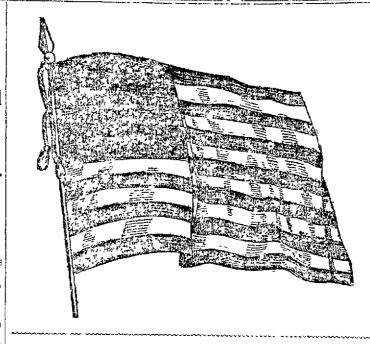
Vermont informing the department that he does not wish to have the 1ss Ver mont volunteers sent to Porto Rice unless the regiment is headed for the

# IMMUNE VOLUNTEERS

CHICAGO, August 6.—The Canadian Legion of this city is not attand of yellow fever. Many members are immune, having served 1 the British army in Egypt, India and South America. At the herting of officers this afternoon, the following was sent Governor Jamer: "The Canadian-American Legion volunteers to relieve the theops at Santiago. A large proportion of our officers and men are 1 munes. Only the latter are expected to volunteer. Can fill va cancies with white immunes in a few days. Please offer our regi ment to Washington authorities."

# PLENTY OF MEDICINE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6-Surgeon Gen. Sternberg has received th tollowing cablegram from Col. Havard, Chief Surgeon at Santis "Necessary medicines, purchases and all present needs sup-Mad. Report about overcrowded transports will be furnished as soon as possible. Similar things will not occur again." The refer-Cl.co to overcrowded transports relates to telegraphic inquiry made by Sternberg for particulars as to the Seneca and the Conchos.



# BE SURRENDERED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The New York Herald's Madrid specia says: The Spanish government has given orders that the minister of war shall not force resistance in Porto Rico to the utmost, knowing that it will inevitably fall into the hands of the Americans. Captain General Macias has been instructed to obtain terms like those obtained by Gen. Total at Santiago, or botter, so as to save Spanish honor as much as possible.

# "TEDDY" MAY RESIGN.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6-It is rumored that Col. Roosevelt, because of his "round robin" letter and Alger's rebuke, has signisebuted to go to Porto Rico in a pro- the transports were needed to carry Got- field his intention of resigning his commission as soon as he gets his command home. Confirmation of the report can not be obtained.

> Friends of Col. Roosevelt assert that the letter referring to regular and volunteer soldiers, which was made public by Secretary Alger, was a personal communication. The Secretary's action, they sny, was an injustice to the commander of the Rough Riders.

# EIGHTH ILLINOIS GOING

SPRINGFIELD, Aug 6--The Eighth infantry, (colored) will probably leave to-morrow for New York, where it will be transported by the steamer Yale direct to Santiago, Cuba. Gov. Tanner received ing beyond political circles and the stock market is scriously dea dispatch from H. C. Corbin, Adjutant General, this morning, directing the Eighth to leave in time to take the Yale on Tuesday next. The Quartermaster General has wired the quartermaster in Chicago instructions as to railroad transportation. The Adjutant General states that the main trouble with the troops now in Cuba is that they are suffering from exhaustion and exposure incident to one of the most trying campaigns to which soldiers were ever subjected. The Governor left this morning for Chicago to arrange with Quartermaster Johns, of the Department of the Lakes, for transportation.

# STANDING ARMY PLAN.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6-Chairman Hullof the House military affairs committee thinks a standing army of 100,000 men will be necessary after peace is brought about. The status of the regular ment of all the European fleets, army will be one of the important subjects to be determined by the next congress, and during the recess Mr. Hull will frame a measure for submission to his committee for action as soon as it meets in December, so that early action may be had. Troops would be needed in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, and in his opinion 100, 000 regulars will be needed for some time to come.

# SPANISH PEACE ANSWER

Story from Madrid that America's Terms Have Been Accepted.

Message from Washington at Noon States That No Official News Had Been Received on the Subject.

MADRID, August 6, 10 a. m .- The Spanish reply to the United States, which, it has been learned from high authority, accepts the American peace conditions, has been completed, and will be submitted to the Queen Regent this morning, previous to the forenoon cabinet meeting.

## NO OFFICIAL NEWS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6, 12 noon-It can be stated definitely and positively that no word of Spain's final action on America's peace terms has been received up to noon at the state department or at the French embassy.

# LONDON GOSSIP.

## "Much Ado About Nothing" Over the Princess.

LONDON, August 6 .- Here are the family of the Princess Mand. various explanations why the Princess

of Wales went to Copenhagen:

To settle a quarrel between Prince Charles and Prince & Mand. To settle a dispute between England

and Russia over Chinese matters Because the king of Denmark is ill. Because the queen of Denmark is ifl. Because the princess hersolf is ili. Because Copenhagen air is pleasantor

than that in the Islo of Wight To pay a visit to her mother.

Because the Prince and Princers of Walco had separated.

With all the go-sip and guessing nobedy knows just why she did go. Meanwhile the Prince of Wales is on the royal yacht Osborne, off Cowes, unable to walk, owing to his accident. The queen is at Osborne, nearby, with the court. The Duke of York is on the emisor Crescent, which is acting as guardahip at Cowes. The princess is with her mother and daughter at Copenhagon. All are keening silent and overshody is wondering Because of an interesting event in the | what the loyal mystery is.

# TO CUBA. RUSSIA NOW READY FOR WAR

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Angle-Russian war scare is spreadpressed, consuls being included in the decline. Alarmist reports of Russian preparations are coming from several quarters with intimations that Russia is deliberately forcing a crisis in the far East. Diplomacy is extraordinarily active, and the wires between London and St. Petersburg have been monopolized by Government business

# EUROPE AROUSED.

ROME, Aug. 6-After a careful survey of the results of the Spanish-American war the Italian Militaire remarks that the United States is now fully entitled to become an important factor in the concert of the great powers of the world, and that Europe will find that due consideration must be given to this new power. The paper predicts that this new state of things will cause a mighty reinforce-

### FIFTH NOT GONE YET.

NEWPORT NEWS, Aug. 6-The transport with the Pennsylvania cavalry and artilery and mails for Porto Rico has sailed. The rest of Gen. Grant's expedition is still waiting for the transports.

# DOES NOT FEAR A MOB

Clevenger Says He is Not Worrying About Anything.

### SLEEP NOT LOSING

And is Ready to Talk About His Crime When the Trial Comes Up--Telford's Friends Talk

> of Taking the Law in Their Hands.

Louis A Clevenger, who is now in me the county jail walting the action of the dered Buy Telford, says that he does not

There is a good deal of talk on the part of the farmers living in Lefford a neighbothood of taking the law into their own hands Today a man from that part of the county said it was generally felt that Clovenger should hang as that the tople feared that he migheret out of punishment in some way. There is a good deal of talk but no one in posing sau

A reporter for this paper visited Clevenger in the juil today the prisoner was asked if he had any ic ra of the threats and talk of the people in regard to mobling him. He said

'I don't know what they are talking jati I had a good shep last night and was well known anything about my once now but when to him '

It was suggested by the reporter to Clovens : that he might surplies the peepl a little by what he told them. In an wer to this Clevenger almply said that he would have something to tell Clevenger talks very pleasantly and does not carry on a bad conversation. He says his parents are not living and that he has no relatives in this county

"I understand," said Clevenger, "that have a hiother in Moultrie county, but I have not seen him for many years and have not written to him. I remeived a letter from a lawyer telling me of my brother You see I went west when I was 18 years old and was around in the uthwest for a long time. I came back to this county and worked for one man at Castor for three year

Clavenger laughed about the way peo ple come in and stare at him. He said but I don't have any fears of them and one man came to the jall a day or two if ever I had any I would not be here in ago and asked for him, saying that he

took a nice little rap of two hours this 'I was a unding just inside the band morning The enty thing that does said Clevenger, "and the fellow was worry me is the confinement for of course looking at me. The other boys called as in in not plansant to he closed up this though I was upstries and of course the way after having been accontomed to be | man had never known me or he would ing out of doors. I don't want to any have recognized me when I was so near

the day of the trial comes I will speak | Chronger backs up his statement in and I think I can speak loud enough to regard t not being worried for he cor

# THE SICK SOLDIERS

### Plans Perfected for the Reception and Care of Shafter's Army.

of War Alger Sugeon General Sternberg Dr Wyman of the Marino hospital sertroops, and at the same time insure ness to care for wounded soldiers, and of the kind and that she would not get possible element of anger to these out | way | Accommodations for convainseents at Plattaburg, N Y, the surgeon gen lake air will be conductive to speedy re | pital at Fortress Monroe

WASHINGTON, August 6 -Secretary | covery These three points will be the main ones for convaisseents, buy a num bor of other places will be used for tikton conferred today relative to prepara- | towards recovery. They include I out tions for receiving General Shafter s Wad-worth Lort Hamilton and the hararmy at Montank Point | It is proposed racks at Gwerner's Island, all in Now to make all necessary arrangements for York harbor Leval hopetals in New securing the comfort and recovery of the York city have shown generous willing-

side of the garrison. In addition to Lort will be made also at one of the military hthm Allan, Vermont and the barracks reservations here mainely. For the purpese of relieving the hospital at Portress eral alis determined to use Madison Barracks, N. Y , on Lake Ontario, where the general has provided a thousand hed hos

LONDON, Aug 6-Every officer and man on furlough or half pay has been assigned to ships, instructed to be in readiness to join them at the earliest moment. Therefore, practically, every ship in the British navy, whother in or out of commission at the present moment has a full war complement of officers and men ready to take her out to sea when they arive.

According to Paris advices, Admiral Bedelliene, commanding the French-Chili squadron, has cabled a domand, for neurforcements and for a large credit to be applied to erecting fortifications. The reason given is that natives of the Kwang-Chu-Weng region are showing signs of hostility. But there is some suspicion here that action may be contracted with a desire to back up Russian designs

## CAUSED A FLUTTER

WASHINGTON, August 8 -Secretary Thiebute, of the Trench Embassy, called at the state department this afternoon. It was thought at first he called to make an appointment for the delivery of Spain's answer's answer, but it developed that the call had connection with the seizure of French ships

# MANY CONFERENCES

MADRID, Aug. 6-The Queen Regent this maining conferred with Silvola, the conservative leader, with Duke Toutsa, former Minseter of foreign affairs, and with Masshal Campos, former Captain General of Cuba. This afternoon her Majesty will receive Romero Y. Robeldo, whose views are said to be shared by Weyler.

A series of conferences between Sagasta and leaders of various parties were concluded this evening with interviews with General Canalejas and others. Barrios, the Carlist leader, has not replied to Sagasta's invitation to come to Madrid to discuss matters.

## HAD ROUGH HOUSE

At Thompson Residence South-East of Decatur.

### A WOMAN WAS ARRESTED

For Assaulting Her Son-in-Law with a Pitch Fork and Threatening to Kill-Slapped the Dep-

uty in the Face.

tarday and lust night at the home of John Thompson, six miles southenst of thoughty Mrs Thompson massed a disturbanco which resulted in her airest and trial, being charged with assaulting her fon in-law with a deadly weapon The officers who made the arrest had about as hard a time as they have had for a long time It appears from what was said by the

eighbors and relatives who were at the trial this morning that Mrs Thompson is given to taising disturbances. Lies son in law, Richard Trayis has been em ployed on his father-in law's farm. Mi Thempson who is a quiet and peaceable old gentleman, got along very nicely with Travis bis gon in law, and was quito friendly with him Mis. Thomp son, however, and trouble with Travis yesterday The latter a little brother had been working about the place and Mis Thompson attempted to aluse him Travis, of course would not allow his brother to be molested and of course is sented Mrs Thumpson a actions. They enraged Mrs Thompson to such in exn law and in order to carry out her threats she got a pitch fork and chased Travis | bho throw the fork at him but missed him and he got away. All this occurred last evening and fravis came to Decatur, arriving here at a lite hour He sent for Justice O'Mara and swore out a state warrant charging Mrs Thompson with assault with intent to kill lie insisted that the warrant be served at one; and about midnight Denuty Sherlff Cass Nicobison accompanied by Cloyd Gates, drove out to serve the wattant Alter arriving at the Thompson residence the officers knocked Mrs Thompson promptly replied that she would not open the door to the officers. Cass told has that they had a state warrant and she must open up and let him serve it. The talked back and forth for a solid halt hour and then the officer informed the woman that if she did not open the door they would gain an antianti by force But Misway and she fally refused to let the offlthe door. The trouble of the officers had not going to it we without showing fight She was in but and Islaholson ordered her to dress and come to the city Sho out of bed She then tried a little strategy. She said that she was lit and it would not be well for her to get cut of This softened the heart of the

officers and they felt ashamed that they were forcing the woman to get out. They asked Mr Thompson if his wife wis ill and he said there was nothing in the world the matter with her This eningod her more and she turned the steady law of abuse which had been directed to the officers toward her husband for giving her away Deputy Nicholson was standing near the woman explaining that she must con c when she suddenly bauled off and struck him across the face. This put the officer a little out of patience nd i it had been a min he might have received a little forcible treatment After two hours of bard work on the pare of the officers and abt so and serraming and yelling on the publif the woman she was finally forced to get out of bed and was driven back to the city Mi Thempson did not want life wife locked up unless he was put in the coll with her o they were given a place in the city prison until this formoon when the weman was taken before Justice O Marfor a honing Attorney J. B. Lathum appeared to prosperts A to some path ying the matter was settled by fining Mrs lhompson to and costs and placing her under n bond of \$ '00 to I can her as they have not had as much fromble

with anyone for a long time MORL LAMILY PROUBLES Yusterday afternoon Officer Some virle arrested William Cooper a colored man. Cooper has always been a well behaved and hard working man and it was somewhat of a surprise when the churge of having heat his wife was brought against him It seems, however, thus Cooper had some provocation for brother and his wife were more intimate thin they should be and he proceeded to give his wife a dressing down for her musbehavoit. He bond was placed at \$200 and he promptly furnished it

It is probable that Marion Frenery the member of the Salvation Army, who was arrests d for crucily beating his wife will not be presented as the efficire believe that the woman will updear against her husband as is very often the case in such

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### SUNDAY SERVICES.

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## CARUS AND LUNCHEON.

Members of the F and R. Club Lntertained by Mrs. Hellburn.

Mis Leo Balbain of Job West Prairie avenue was ho tase for a delightful after but n spant by the members of the  $\Gamma$  and R club this afternors. The member ship of the club numbers 13 and Mis the peace. They were glad to got rid of Mostran's mother, Mrs. Resenthal of Cincinnati Mrs Levi of Louisville, ky , and Miss Kahn of St. I ours were guests, for your entertainment. The decorations were of the American flags and patriotic colors The hours were from 3 to 6 Lunchton was served at , o clock. The guests were entertained \$3000 for lot 1 and \$3500 for lot 2 at all hand cuchre

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## WILL GO IN THE NAVY.

Will Quinlan Commissioned as an Ensign-Leaves To-Night.

Will H. Quinlan of Chicago, son of Mr and Mrs. William J. Quinlan of this, Henry Schultz of Valley City, Iona shet city, received a telegram this morning notifying him that he had received a commission as unsign in the United states mayy. He took the professional examination last May and was recomnended as a livutopoht, junior grade but was taken til and sid not pars the physical examination at that time Having recently recovered Mr. Quintan went to Chicago last week and obtained permission from Washington to be commend. by Dr. Moore of the navy, at present stationed at Ohioago, and passed the physical examination. As there was no opportunity at this time to go as liontouant, junior grade, he accepted the rink of ensign, the next lower grade

Mi Quinlan will return to Chiongo tonight and expects to be ordered into active service come time next was k

Disgusting Language.

The residents of North Main street complain of the actions of the boys and young men who ride up and down the asphalt payement on that street on their bloyoles The residents say that as the whicelmen pass each other and ride along together they stalk tender than ordinarily and the language some are is disgusting. One man says that he is: positively ashamed to sit on the front perchat night with his family on the language of some of the wheelmen is so extrainely sulgar. The whealmon are generally going at good rate of speed and t is impossible to see who they are or to stop them. One of those who makes the complaint says that if he ever cutenes one of the boys talking anigarly he will cither have him put in Jail or give him a good thrushing

Don't forget to go to Riverside Park Sunday afternoon and night to hear the jubilee singers A choice program of jubilee songs, plantation melodies and camp meeting music will be given The property must go Monday \$8000

is hid on the 8 lots at 407 North Main, \$2200 is the highest on the South Wal

nut street bouse and 2 lots. Final bids for sale Monday at 4 p m. Owners not once if you mean business Mann, 122 Merchant street.

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ollice supplies at L CHODAT'S NEWS HOLSI.

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Australian coal is being delivered in

Alaskan ports. There are a few things that even

very young man doesn't know.

# WIFE MURDER

DAVENPORP. IOWA. Angust 6 and killed his wife this morning and then killed himself. His wife left him a week ago and came to Davenport to Hua with friends Sho had applied for a 6 . vorce on the grounds of canelty

### Weekly Bank Statement.

NI W YORK, August 6 -Ine workly bank statement shows reserved diction 52,000,011, loane increased \$12,700 t specie increased \$2,189,000, logal, d oreased \$500,000 deposits increased \$15 121,000 circulation decreased 21126

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WEATHER.

OHIOAGO, Aug. 6 .- Illinois: Partly showers in the north; fresh southerly

LOCAL NEWS.

Davis-Cabs 25c, Trunks 15c. Lookout for the Parlor Meat Market's

neolal sale on hand Saturday.-5-2t Arnold's Bromo-Celery cure head chos. 10, 25, 50 cts. Bell, the araggist. Geo. W. Ehrhart loans money on my goods. Collaterni, best rates.

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and 14.-6-6d Open during the day and evening-Spencer and Lehman Carriage Reposttory, at the sorner of Main and Wood streets. They have some open and canony top traps that are beauties and a full line of fine and medium grade surreys,

buggies, road wagens, etc. These are

honest goods at honest prices.-32d&wtf Go to Chicago via Illinois Central railroad Saturday and Sunday, August 13 and 14. Two dollars round trip. Good on train leaving Decetor at 6:45 a. m. thereafter to Diamond Special of Sun-

New Business Sign.

William Blank of the firm of Blank & Hartman the painters and decorators. is painting a handsome new sign for the Neilser Drug and Supply Co. on the west side of the building occupied by them. The lettering is embellished with several panel sketches.

Millions Given Away.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The propriotors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely faction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Roarseness and all Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on J. E. King and C. F. Shilling, druggists, and get a trial bottle for 10c. Regular sine 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed or price refunded.

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the city visiting relatives, left teday. He is off on a furlough and will return to Camp Alger, where his regiment is

Visited Niantic Camp. Attorney W. H. Black on Thursday

night visited the Modern Woodman camp

at Niantic and assisted in the initiation

of five new members. The cump at Niantic is in a flourishing condition. New

paraphornalia has been added and the lodge rooms are of the fingst in the vii-

Letter from Ned.

F W. Wismer is in receipt of another stter from Private Ned Canberg of Comparty C. 157th Indiana volunteers The Fla., but it is now at Fernandina Ned was formerly an employe at the Decatur Furnitura Factory and a member of Company H. He expented to an to Porto Rico, but the 10th regulars (colored) out out the 157th Indiana, and like the 5th Illinois, the Hooslere had to wait. Canberg is tired of the memotory of camp life and anxious for war or peace. He gets the Daily Republican overy day and awen tuw no botton request

Edward Starr of the firm of J G. Starr Sons, wholesale harness dealers, has rethe quartermaster general of the United States army in the inspection of harness and supplies for the army. The contract was let by the government to the firm of Ocome & Hartman of Baltimore and contracts were subject to the firms of O F. Day & Son and Peter Rice & Son of harness turnished by the three firms and made the selections. He says the harness furnished was as near to the standard as the specifications would allow and the contracts were filled satisfactorily.

Funeral of P. Honecker.

The funeral of the late Philip Honecker was hold at 2:80 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the family residence on South Breadway and was very largely attended. The services were conducted by Hev. W. H. Prestley. The funeral was one of loudy tonight and Sunday, with local the largest over held in the city. The employes of the Decatur Browing Company, where the deceased worked, atended in a body. There were many coautiful floral offerings. Music was renlered by a choir composed of Mrs. F. E. ind George Dunston. The burial was at Greenwood cometery. The pull bearers wered Ed Meyer, Honry Moyer, John Hagan, Frank Wolser, Ed Frahlman and

### PERSONAL.

-Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Bradley have returned from a visit in the east -Miss Belie Ewing lett yesterday for

Mackings for a vists of several weeks. -William Gushard is confined to his home by illness.

-Dr. Will Barnes le in Elkhart, called there by the serious illness of a relative -Mrs. Sue Oder is attending the state LEADER STONE encampment at Mattoon.

-Misa Jennie B. Taylor is ill at her home on North Edward street.

...Gay Fullenwider is fil with typhold fever at his home on Lealland avenue. -Miss Carrie Birks is at Portsmouth, lows, visiting relatives and friends.

-Miss Madge Tinley has returned to her home at Shamekin, Pa., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Will Shorb.

-Mrs. Susan Custle has returned to -Miss Mary Peck of Cerro Gorda is in her home at Logansport, Ind., after a teday for Michigan, for an outling at such a policy. the summer reserts.

-Mrs. M. J. Soyder and daughter, Mrs. Funk, left yesterday for Toronto,

-Misses Ina Kincald and Ella Clothter of the Arcade, leave teday for their a numer vacation. Miss Kincaid will go ot Lincoln, Neb., and Miss Clothier to Davenport, Iowa.

### WHO KNOWS

W. J. Guymore? Up Goes a Thousand Hands at Once at this Question. Every miner in the state knows Mr

Guymore who has been secretary for the United Mine Workers of the state for live years. He is now an honorary member of the organization, but they all know him still as a strong and powerful member. It is not necessary for me to go on and tell you what you all know so well, but there is one thing that I want to toll you which you may not know and you should. It is about Morrow's Kid-ne-olds. Mr. Guymore has used them and has highly praised them to us, and he says he thinks a public statement would help many a miner, in fact any one who has had kidneys to use them. He wants to be of as much service to the public as he can, so here is what he "I have been a sufferer more or less

for years with my kidneys. Sometimes they would be very bad and I suffered a great deal. I had severe pair across m back in the region of the kidneys whic was always worse when I stooped ove so had sometimes I could hardly straighten up. You can see that the natural result would be a broken down system which I was rapidly getting. Nappetite failed me and whatever Late had to force down. I read such wonder-ful things about Morrow's Kid-ne-olds that I thought It would do no harm to try thera. I am glad I did for they proved to be the very remedy I required. I got mine at R. N. Dodd's drug store and used them according to directions and used them according to directions. Today I am entirely cured of all the backache, nervousness and everything arising from this trouble. I consider nrising from this trouble. I consider them safe, sure, quick and economical treatment and they effect a permanent

# Ted Coulake, a momber of Company A. 7th Illinois volunteers, who has been in the city visiting relativos, left today. DAWES ON PEACE OUTLOOK

## He Contends That Spain Will Get No Concessions.

Dawes, comptroller of the currency, is in | in the proposition to Spain submitted by the city for a week's visit with his face-Dy at Evanston. He arrived yesterday, going directly to the Union club. During the day he was asked for an expressien of opinion as to the condition of the oane negotiations. He gave out the following written statement, which, coming from an official close to the presi-

"It is the impression at Washington that peace is near at hand. It to not ex- one of the president's advisers.

CHICAGO, August 5.-Charles G. | peeted that any concessions will be made the president last week. In spite of some rumors to the contrary, it is now known that no concessions whatever have been

> "Until its definite and unqualified acceptance is had from Spain no relaxa-

Mr. Dawes is well acquainted with the polley of the administration and the condition of affairs at Washington. He is

## HAPPY BOYS OF THE FIFTH

### In Camp at Newport News on a Bluff--Seein' Things.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., August 6.- | permission was given by Colonel Culver The 5th regiment Illinois infantry volum-Fred Grant, and went into camp on a

After the men had erected their tents Rice

to go in bathing, and seen the water was teers renoted Newbort News yesterday filled with goldlor boys, many of whom without mishap, reported to General were taking their first sait water bath

Congressman "Buck" Hinrichten bluff about 80 feet high, overlooking called upon the 5th regiment soon after fames River. The site selected is a most it reached its new camp. The congressbeautiful one, the river at this point man had just returned from Camp A short distance below the camp is ington, but mi-sed the regiment, as it Hampton Roads. The United States was already on it way to Newport News. sruiger Minneapolis is anchored within . So he followed it and expressed himbailing distance of the shore, and numer- self as being highly pleased with the conous small craft are constantly passing dition of the regiment and also with the

W. Peck, commissioner general for the Paris exposition, called at the white bouse He also met Representative Cannon of Illinois, chairman of the house appropriation committee, and scoured his promise to support an additional appropriation of

state convention which mosts at Spring- stitution will do it untold injury and its floid on August 10, will be territorial expansion. Ex-Governor Stone, who favors superintendents in a hitter fight. such a policy, is looked upon as the leader of the expansionists in Missouri. The AIDAIL CELLO visit with the family of C. S. Needham, state administration and a majority of UIIIII all La →Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brownback left Missouri's congressmen are opposed to

just transpired that ten days ago Bir spee of the show ewnership during tha Thomas Lipton visited Marlborough season house and presented the Princess of Wales with a check for £100,000 (\$590,000), to HAPPY IOWA start dining-rooms in London at which working people may secure substantial meals for from 2 to 8 cents.

There will be a central dising-room capable of accommodating 2000 people simultaneously. It is expected that from 8000 to 10,000 dinners will be served

The trustees of which the Princess of Wales will be one will shortly be ap pointed to manage the project which will be known as the "Alexandra Trust.

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Light, \$8.60248.95; Mixed \$3.65284.90 Hervy \$3.9028.05; Bough, \$3.60283.76. Estimated for tomorrow, 32,000, Cattle. Cattle receipts, 100. Market steady.

Hog receipts, 19,000. Estimated, 18,000. Market, 5c to 10c higher.

# NORMAL SCHOOL

arrayed against County Superintendent a lively contest which promises to become announces the requirement of re-examination every two years at the expiration of state certificates as a necessary preliminary to the issuance of oredentials in secure a renewal. It is contended on behalf of the state normal school that refriends will be pitted against the county

will of Ephraim Sells filed in the probate court yesterday shows that he left property worth half a million dollars to his widow, Hester Sells. An agreement LONDON, August 6.- The fact has between the brothers prevents any disturb-

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL . August 6 -Colonel J. C. Lover of the blat lows. has received a telegram from Congressman Hull of that state, advising him that his regiment will certainly be sunt to Manila When the news was communicated to the command the hand paraded through the streets of the camp.

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B. F. CORNELL ...... Christian County

THE CHALLENGE.

When B. F. Caldwell accepted the crats of this congressional district, for which he has been labe ing since Nevaniber, 1896, when he was defeated by the person. the Republican nominee for congress, to dam. Glauges these propositions. He did not call for a joint discussion. He did not meet Mr. Mills in a joint discussion and at his soldiers' home in Danville. leave his proposition too vague for Mr. Mills to accept it as a challenge for debate. But when his roungles were published in the Springfield Register the Democratic organ-the editor carried the farce a luttle too far by putting a glaring

lengs to Mills." Mr. Mills, unfortunately for Mr. Caldwell, was in the city of Springfield M. F. McMahan yesterday received dissections to him. In his letter of ac- month." ceptance Mr. Mills characterizes Mr. Caldwell's propositions as embodying Caldwell's propositions as embodying elements "destructive to the business in- ward for any case of Catarrh that canterests of the country and as involving not be cuted by Hall's Catarrh Cure, not be cuted by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Catarrh Cure ward for any case of Catarrh that canterests of the cuted by Hall's Catarrh Cure. There are those in his own party who say Caldwoll don't believe them himself and put them out as batt for Populists, and intensate he went too far in opening up the way for Mills to draw him into a discussion. However this may, be he is and mucous surfaces of the system, in for it now and unless he consents to arrange time, place and terms for a point discussion which he and his organ may. discussion which he and his organ proposed, he will show the white feather and will have to take the consequences | usually preserve them in alcohel, Mr. Caldwell some time ago announced that he wanted a short campaign and in twin brother to monkery. wanted to make it "short, sharp and snappy." Mills seems to be ready to more troublesome than throwing principles and policies aside and trusting to his prokethook to do his debuting for him and get him into congress.

tain is not the logey it was expected to by Epithers do not frighten sensible and restores the system to its normal people. The coiners of the term are vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be confropping it. Imperialism is growing so vinced that they are a miracle worker. fest that a prosumption is orented that many of its old opponents are embracing ling's Drug Store, it. Dimocratic, conventions either dudge imperialism or declare for it. This break toward the conquering policy is four of spoiling is. sali to have struck Bryan. A few woods ...jo, in a speech, he came out against expaneton, and many firganite papers said he thus hit the keynote which would toot him to victory in 1900. Now, however, some of his friends say he was misreported at the time. That speech, thuy declars, was in favor of expansion, and not against is. Aryan, in fact, assord- M'GEE & CO. ing to these persons, is an imperialist. This change of base by Bryan, it he has made it, does not pertend a change of conviction, providing he has any conviction on one side or the other. It Repair Work and Painting.

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In his speech before the Democratic congressional convention which nomiobserved that the Democratic party in 1990 might be led by William Jennings Bryan, Flitzhugh Lee or Rear Admiral Dewoy. This indicates that Mr. Caldwell's political principles are about as stable as the promises of Againalde of the Philippines, and suspects his party of the same instability. Bryan favors free silver and free riot. Fitzhugh Lee favora sound money and stable government, while Dewey is a Republican, but e not now and will never be in politice.

The post convention-convention did not work in Macon county unless it may be eard that it detented the nomination of a Macon county man for sonator, caused the disclosure of the man who conducted a beer garden in the Fifth ward, and the fellows who after denouncing the Allen bill conspired to secure the nomination of Suttle for senator, and those who worked the scheme for free sil-

B. F. Caldwell has succeeded in geteced to wipe up every acre of ground in the 17th congressional district with Hon. ty face, while the cry of the music-I. R. Mills in a joint dubate. The pecple of the district are all anxious to witness the performance.

We have known the Hon. Jack Baker FLOXD K. WHITTEMORE ..... of Springfield a long time and always gave him credit for having some shrowdness, but whom catholicity of taste, always accorded he accused the Republicans of having shut off the electric lights in the court house while the Democratic senatorial convention was in session, we lest faith the door. in his good judgment. No Republican "For pliy's sake, Cordelia, stop would want to shut off such a convention screeching!" n harsh voice oried. "It as that,

terrion to the fact that when the Democratic state convention declared for the "initiative and referendum" It failed to nomination for congress, by the Demoor applied externally. Caldwell may have the directions secreted about his

noted for posing in politics and this led any boddy injury and for that reason, room was dark. him, after laying down five ridiculous in onse he engages in a joint discussion propositions on the money question, to with Hon B. F. Caldwell, we warn him call on his opponent. Hon. I. R. Mills, to look out for the initiative and referen-

Congressman Joe Cannon reports in want one, because he never discussed one | Washington that the people are not in of those propositions in his life, but he favor of the retention of the Philippine did intend to leave the impression upon Islands. Perhaps Mr. Cannon confined the convention that he was willing to bis luquings to those who are working

> An auxious public would like to knew what has become of that army balloon,

### TO PUERTO RIGO.

head line over them: "Ringing Chal- R. L. Sleeth Gone to "Take" the Scenes in the Island.

the day of the publication and very a latter from R. In Slooth written from mained motionless, her head drooped was like a little, dim ghost. promptly and very properly assumed he Tampa, where Mr. Sleath has been for forward into her hands, and her brain had been shallenged to a point discussion, the past two months busy in photographs whirling. The Captain's inexplicable by Mr. Caldwell and as promptly acting the views of that place and the differ- conduct, her sister's anger, Molly Huncaped the challenge by communicating out companies of soldlers, collectively that fact to Mr. Cadwell and publishing and individually. Mr. Steetle says: tion of her own singing were jumpled the fact of the litinois Scate John. My outfit is on hour a government tell suddenly weak and old. All the should have it while they re young tell suddenly weak and old. All the enther than to go through the long, nal. A capy of his acceptance was also stormer and I will be on board in one innovent pude she had taken in her sent to the Register, but that paper hair hour and will sail tomorrow morn- one accomplishment deserted her, and, failed up to yesterday to publish it. Mr. ing for Puerto Rico. I got loft on the stripp of and bare as it was, it seemed Caldwell has evidently put his feet in it Shaffer expedition, but had better luck a pitiable thing. A sob choked her. as he will now have to back down or this time. I send you some negatives She would never sing again, not even back up his challenge and it matters not from Tampa and will send you some of "Greenville" or "Federal," and all those which road he chooses, as either will be value from Pherto Rico in about one

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# THE STORMING OF

## Jared Taylor's Heart,

By Imogen Clark.

There was a strange vibrant quality in the thin voice, an unexpected note which thrilled him irresistibly, and suddenly he found himself thinkingnot of Miss Cornelia and her cakes, not of Miss Cordella and her gentleness, but of a certain pair of warm brown eyes that only that afternoon had smiled upon him. He was a fool, an old fool, he told himself, to remember such thought but the undercurrent of his thoughts went on like some sweet antiphonal strain. Love was still abroad in the world, and happinessthey were infinitely better seeking han mere physical comfort, even if shipwrock lay at the end.

The arrested hand was raised quickly to his head, and the Captain for the ting up trouble in the Democratic ranks first time in his honest life found himin Sangamon and Ma.on counties and self taking shelter behind an excuse the orly way which new seems open, by which has served the remainded the orly way which new seems open, by for ages. He beat a hasty retreat, hurrying down he path his mind filled with the vision of Molly Hunter's pret-"'Ro-ob-bin-lu wa-as there!'"

pursued him like the ghost of some faint, old time passion.

Miss Cordelia waited at the close of the first verse for the hearty "Brava!" to her singing. Then, strangely chilled by its absence, she went on with the song. There was a sudden noise at

sets my nerves on edge. If I were you I'd give up such love-sick songs, any-P. K. Whittemore, the Republican way. They're more suitable for that encodedate for state treasurer, calls at-Hunter girl'

The musician's hands fell with a crash upon the keys, the reverberation almost deafened her, but above everything she was conscious of one thought Cornelia must be very sure of her

ground to speak so forcibly before their guest. In one minute all the rosecolored easiles she had reared came people, he read a carefully prepared The Republican is friendly to Mr. Mills thing wet on her check and she was speech from manuscript. Caldwell is and does not want to see him receive glad as she brushed it aside that the "I'd recommend 'Greenville' or 'Fed-

eral' as more in your line," Cornelia outinued sharply, "but you needn't begin practising now. You'll have plenty of time to learn them before the Captain comes again."
"The Captain? Where is the Cap-

tain?" stammered Cordelia. "I don't know. I'm not his keeper.

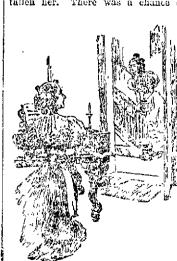
He's gone, that's the long and short of it. He said he'd a headache, as if any woman would believe that! He was all most and coming on well until you began your disgraceful singing; then he was driven away." The voice grow fainter as the speak-

er ascended the stairs, and the last words, with a sharp laugh, floated down through the hall. Then there was the sound of an angilly closed door, and after that a grim slience settled like a pall over the house. For a long time Mass Cordelia re-

ter's voice and the cruel characterizaother little song ; must be put by for- yellow sheets with trembling hands. A quick ruth of blood dyed her fare scarlet as the past weeks of her life them that winter when the little singunrolled themselves like a nanorama

the honor of the nation." Surely Mr. We, the undersigned, have known it.

Caldwell, if he believes in his propositions, should be willing to defend them bees transactions, and immedially able to no ones transactions and immedially able to no ones transactions. The notation is not made to note in order to please one pair of eyes appeared vulgar to her now, and the norm of t Lours, those simple thoughts which a girl might weave unblushingly, were unpardonable at her age. She had nursed a spirit of resentment, too. against her sister, growing lealons and bitter as one days went by, until the feelings had been almost too strong for her control. But this estimage-ment, wrong and ernel as it had been, was not the worst thing that had befallen her. There was a chance of



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taking in the disposal of his fate, she serve. She had tried to show him her feelings, she had put them into her soug. Surely he must have guessed that when she saitg "Robin" her heart was crying, "Jared, Jared!"

Disgraceful was too slight a term to describe her action. It was indelicate, immodest, unwomanly. She lashed herself with her scorn. Her words were like so many goads to sting her into some sense of her shamelessness, There was no excuse for her, not even the excuse that she loved him. All the more reason, then, for her to want to be sought. What if she had waited long, not a paltry six weeks, but years and years - eight and twenty years? That was no justification for her conduct in the end.

Eight and twenty years! She shipered nervously and put up her hands to hide her face in the dark. He had been other days and had had no thought for her. Even the flower upstairs in her Thomas a Kempis had only been tossed her way in token of good fellowship. Poor, little crumbling rose that had been kissed and kissed again! No one had ever suspected the tiny thread of romance in the gray woof of her existence, and Jared Taylor least of all. She groped her way noiselessly to the mantel in search of a match. In another moment there was a light in the room. She held the candle high and gazed curlously at her reflection in the martor above the fireplace. She

"I'm an old woman," she said softly as she put the candle down, "I never thought of that before-- an old woman! And love isn't for us, It's for youth and beamy, like Molly Hunter and the rather than to go through the long, long years waiting for it, missing it,

She turned with a sigh and tip-toed across the room to the cabinet where she kept her music and took out the ever. Cornelia had called the singing if was the meagrest collection-a dozdisgreceful, and Cornelia was tight, en songs perhaps, and all of the most sentimental mature. She had taken



DEGAN TO TEAR EACH PIECE

in tune to the melody, would be that unhearable thought of what she once had done? Impossible, impossible! Her master had always said she

lacked waimth; that con amore and con passione were modes of expression that could make no headway through the snow and ice of her maiderly reserve, which was as incapable of being thawed as the pond on the village green when locked in the fleree grip of winter. His simile occurred to her with irresistible force. What would be have thought, she asked hersel? dully, had he heard her that night-had he of the song? Ah! she had been prompted by no mere printed direction. She had found her inspiration deeper than that, as the ice-bound pond in time responds to the voice of Nature and leaps to life. There had been no necessity to assume a feeling.

She gathered the little pile of music in her arms and clasped at against her breast. Then she sank down on the floor and began to tear each piece softly and unfalteringly. When her task was finished her lap was full of scraps of time-stained paper. She took some of them in her hands and held them wistfully, letting them flutter through her fingers. They were like tiny, palewinged butterflies-usless, dying, dead. She gave a low cry and buried her face upon her knees, rocking to and fro in a dumb agony at the realization of all she had lost. The clock in the hall ticked monoto-

nously. Without the garden lay dreaming of the past summer. The hush that enveloped all nature was broken only by the harsh altereation of the katyaids. A sense of coming blight pervaded the sharp, damp air. How long Miss Cordelia sat there she never knew, but at last, stiff and aching from the discomfort of her position and chilled by the mist that was creeping over the land, she struggled to her feet, holding up the skirt of her gown in her hand that none of the papers should be senttered on the floor. The candle had almost burned out. It flickered uncertainly with an angry, sputtering sound. She stood gulte motionless for a moment; then she bent down and laid her lips gontly against the mute keys of her piano.

"Good-by," she whispered paysion-ately, 'good-by'" (THE END.)

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Don't try to stop a bioyele by pulling back on the handle bars.



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DEGAN TO TEAR EACH PIECE SOFTLY AND UNFALTER.

INGLY.

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# KRAMER,



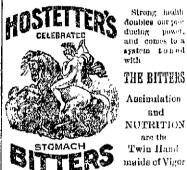
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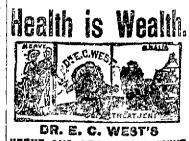


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SOLDIER:

## Ninth Illinois Through of an E

teer regiment passed through I on the Wabash this morning at 5 they have been in camp to Jackso Fla. The regiment was expected or last night and the people watchcome at 5 o'clock there was no one them as the depot. There were the were here not more than five m and the third section stayed abo

The train equipment furnished ! soldiers by the Watash empany train started and the troops were through as quickly as possible

There was a full regiment of er the men the road furnished forty sk five box cars, three baggage cars as Enlace herse our for the officers' !

# GHARLEY

## Commander of Leave of Abser

WASHINGTON, August 6.-Ca Charles T. Clark, who distinguished solf as the commanding officer of Oregon, has been condemned by a oal board and will be detached inc hattleship on which he made such a precedented trip from the Pacific : early part of the war, and has been a ed six months' leave of absence.

Admiral Sampson informed Sec-Long that Captain Cluk has bem for some time and is no longer a perform his duties. The nature malady is not known at the depart but it is of long standing and Co Clark remained at his post because

# CALDWE

Mr. Mills Calls Will N

Lincoln Daily News: Just two ago the Hou, B. F. Caldwell was n nated for congress in this district proceeded to sensationalize the di by issuing a challerge to Major nolly, his apponent, to a series of debates that the great national ques might be mosted and placed before people for their consideration. B min was awfully considerate toward welfare of the people at the begin but his enthusiasm lost his arder y he began to realize that his bloff called. He never appeared in any debates that the people ever read at

## SCHOOL NOTES

The Annual Institute W Begin August 15.

From the State Course of Study August 19-instituteWill be

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tenued.

The annual Macon county insti will be held at the High school week beginning August 15. Last there were over 200 in attendance an is expected that there will be even a this year. The purpose of the insti is to furnish instruction for teachers these who intend to become teachers for students who wish to make th selves more perfect. The incittate be in charge of Superintendent J Keller. The instructors will be Supe tendent E. A. Gustman, Professor Co radt, Professor Westhoff, Mr. David and Miss Cora Hamilton, an Instru in primary work.

Mr. Davidson will teach hist algebra, grammar, arithmetic and ge raphy. Mr. Coonradt will give inst tions in physics, botany and physicic Mr. Westhoff will tench music and Gastman will instruct in vari branches. The work of Miss Hamil

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raphy. Mr. Coonradt will give instructions in physics, botany and physiclogy. Mr. Westhoff will tonoh music and Mr. Gustman will instruct in various ments were served and overybody had a brunches. The work of Miss Hamilton i good time.

The mombers of the 5th Illinois volun- After remaining here but a few minutes ter regiment passed through Decatur the trains left for East St. Louis. The et en Wabash this morning at 5 o'clock | Wabash carries the men to that point and way from Speingfield, where the troops are transported by the Mobile Mrs. W. B. Chamberlain. they have been in camp to Jacksonville, and Ohio to Montgomery, Alm, and from 1 1 The regiment was expected to ar- there by the Plant System to Jacksonrive lets some time yesertday afternoon ville, Fla. The regiment was in com-

a-list night and the people watched and mand of Colonet Compbell. LIGHTH TO MOVE. Springfield, August 6 .- The 8th regithem at the depat. There were three sec- mont of the colored soldiers has been the of the train The first two sections ordered to be in readings to leave for t to tere not more than five infinites Santiago, Cuba, within the next few attended the funeral of Mr. Coy's sister, dranocs." a 1 the third southern stayed about 10 days. The telegram signed by Adjutant | Mrs. Amy Abbott.

General Corbin stated that 500 would be the train equipment furnished for the wanted before August 15, and that they 4 Pers by the Wabash company was a would probably go to Nowpost News and the one and the officer; and men were thence to Santiago. The order came in will satisfied with the service they re- re-pense to an effer made by Colonel Morganville today to address the eighth vited to join us, and tents have been se-Tiere were no delays after the Marshall, tendering the command of annual farmers' plenic held at that place cured to accommodate all who wish to to a thread and the troops were sunt immunes to the government for duty at today. The Hon. B. F. Caldwell is also escupy them. Notice of aste and time of the injected stronghold.

The swas a full regiment of enlisted. The men are not alraid of yellow fever the box sars, three baggage cars and one waich is in command of Colonel Heavy palme herse car for the officers' horses L Turner of Chicago.

# CHARLEY CLARK SICK

SOLDIERS IN DECATUR

Ninth Illinois Regiment Passed

Through on the Wabash at

an Early Hour.

# Commander of the Oregon Gets in the Powers building on Tuesday's humo and Friday's and the romainder of the thom.

(a.rlos L. Clark, who distinguished him prespects of further hostilities had dis- that place. will as the commanding officer of the appeared he asked to be relieved, and Oregon, has been condemned by a medi- Secretary Long sent the desired order. oal board and will be detected from the In teship on which he made such an un-the Newark, will relieve Captain Clark, ed six months' leave of absence

vitulred for them, but when they did

come at 0 o'clock there was no one to see

n out a to wait for a mail train

Long that Captain Clark has been sick Barker, Clark remained at his post because of his mary.

Captain A. S. Barker, commanding precidented trip from the Pacific in the and Captain S. W. Terry of the receiving only part of the war, and has been grant- ship Franklin and Captain J. J. Rend of the receiving ship Richmond are Admiral Sampson informed Secretary spoken of as the successor of Captain

but it is of long standing and Captain for two years, and was relieved last Jan-

# CALDWELL'S BLUFF

### Mr. Mills Calls It Promptly and Ben Will Not Respond.

Lincoln Dally News: Just two years | He tried the same game this time and a to the Hou. B. F. Caldwell was nomi- has been called down by Mr. Mills in an nated for congress in this district and number of times at any number of proceeded to sensationalize the district places. Caldwell must again show the by issuing a challerge to Major Con- color of his political grit and bravaco nolly, his opponent, to a series of joint He must mount the stamp in company debates that the great national questions with Mills and stand face to face with and Mr and Mrs. Al Mattin will ploude might be mooted and placed before the the issues or olimb a tree and remain at Otter Lake temorrow. They will go weight for their consideration. Benja- there. Caldwell has never been able to out in the morning and take both dinmin was awfully considerate toward the argue the pet issue of his platform sucwelfare of the people at the beginning cessfully. He met a signal failure on but his enthusiasm lost his arder when the stump two years ago. Hen has get he began to reality that his bluff was greenbacks to burns but he has never called. He never appound in any joint shown himself well informed to the exdebates that the people over read about | tent of arguing his position effectively.

Begin August 15.

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From the State Course of Study on

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tendent E. A. Gastman, Professor Coon-

radt, Professor Westhoff, Mr. Davidson

Bud Miss Cora Hamilton, an instructor

SIXTY

SCHOOL NOTES will be in primary branches, numbers reading and nature study. She is one of the most prominent instructors in orlmary work in the state

Among those who will lecture at the The Annual Institute Will Institute will be: Mr. Gastman, Aloxander McIntosh, Alfred Bayliss, P. () Stiver, Joseph H. Freemau.

WILL GRADUATE,

On Friday, August 19, commencement exercises will be held at some place which has not yet been selected. Sixty pupils will graduate from the the state course of study which covers a school course of ten years. The state course is used in the county shools and it is neessary to finish the tenth grade before graduating. The purils will be from the different schools of the county. The exercises, will begin the first of faude you will not be disappointed with DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. H.,W. Bell, N. L. Krone. will graduate from the the state course of at 10:80 a. m. The graduates will take part in the exercises and an address will be delivered by J. H. Freeman.

OTHER SCHOOL NOTES.

The summer school which has been conducted by Frank Hamsher, Frank there were over 200 in attendance and it Bachman and J. H. Coonradt, closes is expected that there will be even more next week. The attendance has been quite good his year.

Some of the county schools will open those who intend to become teachers and the last Monday in August and others for students who wish to make them- will open the first Monday in September. selves more perfect. The institute will It is thought that there will be a larger be in charge of Saprintendent J. G. attendance next term than any previous

The "boys" connected with the firm of G. J. Danrelsen & Sons, gave Will Danzelsen a complete surprise last night of red donars.

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It his home on the coccasion of his birth provided by law an inversary. There were about 15 said Board said beard reserves the right to couples in the party of invaders and will capitalated gracefully. The host repited any and all bids, and said Board at the time and place first above mentioned will examine and publicly declare said bids.

Dated this 6th day of August A. D. 1898.

G. V. LORING.

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G. W. WILLIAMS.

6-d10 Epard of Local Improvements. Mr. Davidson will teach history, at his home on the occasion of his birthalgebra, grammar, grithmetic and goog- day anniversary. There were about 16

# U. S. TROOPS

-The transports Lakmo and Oburles G. in their weekly trade review say: "Prosvelson, bearing five componies of the poots of peace stimulate many kinds of lat New York volunteers and second business. In spite of records, the im-United States volunteer engineers, sailed pression provails that doing and healtafor Honolulu today..

### PERSONAL.

-Mr and Mrs. Rebut Gifford of

and Will Brown of Chicago, are the guests of their parents in this city. -Mr. and Mrs S E. Coy have returned from Bloomington, where they

-C. Williams, who has been employed return to Mattoon on Monday.

among the speakers.

-Mr. and Mrs Arthur Gillespie have remain the three trains. To transport and they will be sent to Santiago to take with Mr. Gillespia's a tear at her summer teturned from a visit of several weeks the man the road furnished forty sleepers, the place of the 1st Illinois regiment, cottage at Lake Geneva, Wis. They were day for Cinomnatt in the interests of the accompanied home by Mr Gillespie's Prott Cereal Mill company. He will go

la voice culture in Decutor at her studio In the Powers building on Tuesday's humoring people than by instructing Leave of Absence for Six Months.

Was Hing Ion, Angust 6.—Captain degire to see active service, and after the factorial L. Clark, who distinguished him prespects of further hostilities had distinguished him prespects of further hostilities had distinguished as a construction of the con time will be sugnt in Bloomington. Mrs

There will be a grand jubilee con- Krone. cert at Riverside Park Sunday afternoon and night. 20 colored jubilee singers will amuse and entertain you with old jubilee and camp meeting songs and plantation melodies.

Music for Chicken Fry.

The Sunday school dishestra of eight proces will play at the obloken and fish fry which will be given by the ladies of for some time and is no longer able to The new commander of the Oregon is the Cumberland Presbyterian church of perform his duties. The nature of his well acquainted with every detail of that this city at Shady Greve on Thursday, indady is not known at the department, ship, as he was its commanding officer August 11. The ladies are making ex tensive preparations and will endeavor to avoid the inconvenience experienced at other affairs of this sort and provide sufficient amount of chicken and fish to teed all who will attend.

When you call for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve the great pile care, don't scrept anything else Don't be tulked into accepting a substitute, for piles, for soics, for burne. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

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bave a chicken fry at Riverside park on Friday next (August 12) from 5 to 9 o'clock. All the ladice of the church are Warlike Bands of Indians, Famous Oblets and boreby requested to meet Monday at 9:80 p. m. at the usual place.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lebo of Harristown on Wednesday, August 8, a son. The less advice a man has to give the

more listeners he will have.

Riding on the spur of the moment has punctured many a pneumatic tire. SEALED BIDS.

Public notice is hereby given that scaled blds will be received by the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Decatur, fillinois, up to 4 o'cleck p.m. of Tuesday, the 16th day of August, A. D. 18 s, at the office of the city clerk of said city for the Improving of South Franklin street from the south line of Jefferson street to Marfon street, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto passed by the city council of said city on the 6th day of July, A. D. 18s, now on life in the dihec of the city clerk.

All blds must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the President of the Hoard of Local Improvements in the sum of five hundred dollars. Said check to be forfeited in case provided by law

All bids must be handed to the President of

BUSINESS

NEW YORK, August 6 .- Dun & Co tion have legitlmutely resulted from wir, and larger contracts are, in fact, coming forward for Iron products, with a better general demand in most industries. The Bloomington are the guests of Mr. and volume of payments through all clearing-houses was the largest over known -The Misses Anna and Mary Cloyd in July, being 8 per cent larger than in have gone to Lake Bluff for an extended 1893 for the month and for the last week 11-7 per cent larger. Most industrial -Rey Brown, who is a member of works have resumed after a shorter vacathe Student's Art League of New York | tion, with fewer participating than usual. A few labor troubles only call attention to the fact that this season has

G. A. R. Will Go in a Body.

been remarkably free from such hin-

Dunham Post has definitely arranged at Mattoon for the past four months is to attend the National Encampment at visiting his family in the city. He will Cincinnati as a post. Will go via the I D. & W. rattroad. Members of other -Attorney J. T. Whitley went to posts and outside parties are cordially indeparture will be given later. By order of the committee on arrangements.

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Class at Bloomington.

Mrs. Litrabeth K. Bunn has organized loarned that DeWitt's Little Early liters are reliable hitle pills for regulating the bowels, curing constipation and each headachs. They don't gripe. II. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

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pointing the way to renewed life and health to every sufferer from rheumatism.

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The story is told by a woman. Her name is Mrs. Caleb Fenly; she hives in St. Paul, Ind.
This is her account:
"I am a farmer's wife. I believe my frequent exposure to the weather caused my terrible attack of rheumatism. Damp weather always agreeated it. weather always aggravated it.
"My lumbs would begin to swell at the

"My limbs would begin to swell at the ankle joints.
"This swelling would begin in the night, at times. I would awake in agony.
"Daylight would find my limbs purple in color, swollen to twice their natural size, and so racked with pain I could not bear to touch them.

"My right arm and both legs were so drawn as to be almost useless.
"My skin became dry and yellow.
"At times my limbs would pain as though millions of needles were pricking them.

them.
"Again they would be numb and I

could not feel a needle thrust into my flesh.

"I was confined to the house three years, unable to walk nearly half the time.

"After those three slow years of agony, during which I spent probably \$2,000 for treatment and tried a dozen doctors, I gave up hope of any release from pair, but death. "I was cured, completely cured, by Dr. Williams Pink Pills for Pale People. They also coared any secures."

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presently impressed, and since then he has prescribed Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People for many of his patients."

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tracting the alcohol habit is avoided.

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"tonies." "compounds,

mend it to all suffering as I was."

### Extension of Weather Service to the Caribbean Sea.

fem or Twelve New Stations Are to Be Established—It Will Do for Benefit of All

The most radical extension of the weather service yet made will be operated immediately by this government by the establishment of a compiete system of weather stations on the Carlbbean sea for the benefit of all nations whose interests lie in that region. Between ten and twelve new stations will be organized and the corps to inaugurate the new service and man the stations will be disputched to the field in a few days.

While under the general supervision of Chief Moore, of the weather bureau, there will be a central station located probably at Kingston, Jamaica, but possibly at either Santiago or Guantaname, Cuba, instead, which will constitute the headquarters. There are three stations now in operation. Ilawana, with which weather warnings are even now exchanged every day between the two countries, surprising as it may seem, and Kingston and St. Thomas. The location of the new strtions is contemplated to include Barranguilla, Columbia, St. Kitts, (southeast of St. Thomas), Trinidud, Curacao, Martinique, Ban Domingo and the Barbedoes. There will be several stations on the north coast of South America. It has been found that tornadoes, which are especially to be looked for, beginning around the equator, frequently either out a slice off the corner of South America in their progress morth or cut over past the Windwards, in either of which directions the carliest information will be secured by the new service and rushed shead with a gala of many hours.

having in view the frequency of tor-nadoes there in August.

### MESSAGE FROM THE DEAD.

Tells of the Death of a Young Lady of New York City.

A man who survived the sinking of the French liner La Bourgogne was the bearer of the last message of H. J. Knowles' daughter to her father at "Tell him," she said, "that I died

bravely and a good girl, and that I will

Bourgogne.
The messenger, whose name is not given, called on Mr. Knowles and told

of the awful struggle for life of the cowardly sailors who pushed helpless women beneath the waves.

"I tried to save her," said the young man, "but I couldn't. In that great crowd of hulking brutes, each intent upon saving his own life. I could not help but be impressed with the sublime heroism displayed by this girl. I don't care to give my name. It would be no credit to me to be chronicled as a survivor where this little girl met a watery grave, though God knows I tried to save her."
Mr. Knowles thanked him brokenly

and the man went out.

### AGILITY OF SEAMEN.

"Abandoned Ship" Drill Develops Remarkable Results-Done in

A naval officer thus describes the realistic "All hands abandon ship!" drill: "Two minutes after the word has been passed every ship's boat has swung from its davite into the water, and a minute later every boat is thoroughly provisioned and watered. Within four minutes, and often in muck quicker time, every man of the ship's company, from the commanding officer down, is occupying the station in the bost called for by his ship's number, and then the command 'Sheer off!' is given. The boats are hauled away a couple of hundred feet from the deserted vessel, and she rides without a buman soul aboard her, often, when the drill is gone through in midocenn, in a sea that the landsman would account terrific. Then the word Board! the most all hands are not only on board again, but every boat has been relashed to the davits, all of the provisions, water, instruments and other gear have been removed and the ship's company is in a fair way to get to tleep again."

Largest Fire Engine. The Holt-the engine of which the Liverpool fire brigade is justly proud—
is the largest land fire engine in the world. Her total weight is five tons and her pumping capacity is 1,800 gailone per minute, and she can throw a apray considerably over 120 feet. She is drawn by three and sometimes four horses. The Holt operates with three inch hoses feeding the tank,

Book Made of Marble. At the Strozzi palace, in Rome, there s a book made of murble, the leaves being of marvelous thinness.

Marrying Age of Frenchmen. The average marrying age of a Frenchman is 30 years.

Many a man is out in the back yard

bomorning his lack when fortune knocks that they will never more be equal to the at ble tront door.

like himself some of his acquaintances despondency that accompanies it, are enare glad of it,

Golf stockings cover a multitude of sblas.

The toughe is sometimes mightler than a bullet, though it may not speed as true, because

### TO ALD OUR SHIPPING. BLOOD WILL impoverished, the nutritive powers de-plated. It is by overcoming these physical deserges the 'Pleasant Pellets' and I was able to

The Grandson of a Great Author in the Famous Charge Up San Juan Hill.

JACK HAWTHORNE'S LETTER TO HIS MOTHER.

Denrost Mother: I write to let you know that I am still alive and well, though I am rather surprised to find myssif so.

We had a terrible battle that lasted

he in shaps to assist our 'Uncle Samuel' in case of hostilities," said a Florida gentleman, A. D. Weller, Esq., of Ponsa-In the Field, Cuba, July 6. cola, in a letter to Dr. Pierce. "But thanks to you, I am now ready for the covery 'is absolutely free from alcohol. 'Done.' Since receiving your diagnosis It is totally unlike the numerous 'sarsaof my case, as stomach trouble and liver parillas." complaint, I have taken eight bottles of "malt extracts" and so-called i "blood-Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifiers" which contain so large a perthree days, and in which we lest 1800 and must say that I am transformed from centage of alcohol that their persistent

fulness, endurance and heroism.

WHAT TWO SOLDIERS SAY.

"Four months ago I did not think to



killed and wounded. I never expected to a 'walking shadow' (as my friends called come through the battle alive, much less me) to perfect health." witchut a soratch. At least a dozen men were killed or wounded right around a ball passing through my lung," says of severe, obstinate, chornic, diseases,

clothus I have on.

### Your loving son, JACK HAWTHORNE.

Company A. 71st New York Voluntsers. But no. Jack Hawtherne had not lost his most procious possession of all: the herote blood that courses in his veins. Heroic blood it was that prompted both blm and Private Botts at the same instant to jump up and rush forward with

handed down to him the blood from which heroes are made?

HEROISM IS IN THE BLOOD.

all the ages has never been gainsaid. seels; gives keen assimilative power to Every man who does a brave, heroic act the digestive juices and blood-making Asthma. carries within his voins a quality of glands, and supplies an abundance of blood that urges and sustains him. No that pure, regenerating, nutritive material matter whether he inherits it from a long which builds up healthy tissue, muscular line of famous ancesters or from the flesh and vital nerve force. It regenersound and healthy constitution of his ates the blood, and thereby rejuvenates immediate parants, whose only disting- ithe man, tion is honorable toll and a simple virtu-It matters little where or how you ch-

tain it, but it matters all the world that times preferable to mauseous emulsions, by some means you possess good blood. is passed, and within eight minutes at Good blood is first, last and always the alcoholic "compounds." Is does not making of manily men and womanly give a mere temperary attinulus to the woman. It is the source of all sourage, | nervas. It feeds them; it rebuilds them; virtue and hanniness. CAN A MAN MAKE HIMSELF A into healthy nerve-fiber.

HEROP

laying the foundation of his own manligold and rubles.

Men and women who are sick, vretebed, and incapacitated for their full share, in the daily, bourly struggle or existence, ought to carefully determine whether or not their mental, moral nobler plane.

WHY PEOPLE DESPAIR.

In the depth of slokners and wretchedness, men feel that their days of courage duties and bordens that come upon a wife to be propped up in bod all night, and and mother: but too often this sad non- even then could sleep but little. When a man says he doesn't feel at all closion, and the deep and hopeless

George H. Blecher, Esq., of Derton, Pike than the average local practitioner ever The major of our battallon called for Co., Ky. "I have had a had cough ever heard of. His great thousand-page Hustwo men to go forward and locate the since with chortness of breath, and it trated "Common Sense Medical Adenemy, so I and another man called was very easy to take cold; the slightest Botts jumped up and ran forward to change of weather would caues the cough where we could see the Spaniards on the to be so had I would have to sit up in language: Three-quarters of a million bed all night.

I feel like a new man. I cannot find will be cont. words to sufficiently recommend Dr.

nutritive organism, which is the tails of time the child had been sick for about all physical ronewal, gives it efficient such alsority in the face of almost certain death.

All the world knews the name of this young follow's grandfather, Nathaniel Howtherne, author of the "Scarlet Letter" and "The Marble Faun," master please of English literature, but who has heard of Botts, the unromantic cognomen of the youngsters equally brave companion? What torefathers have on to that droad disease—consumption.

It oblitorates poisonous bile-products and disease-germs from the circulation and the skin, expels morbid accumula-"Blood will tell," is an axiom that in tions from the brouchial tubes and lung,

WHAT MAKES NERVE-POWER?

and cunstated invalids it is a thousand it makes rich blood and transforms it

### GREAT SUFFERING.

not lost at night on account of hot spolls. noss an of an inheritance for those who Last spring I began to feel so weak I come after blue more precions than the could scarcely do my work, and in April I broke down completely. I had indigestion and kidney trouble. The back of my head and neck would be so tired, I could not rest. The left side of my face ached but the pains and aches , yielded under the influence of Dr. Pierce's Goland physical faculties may be improved don Medical Discovery and Pleasant press her thoughts, but its quite differand advanced surely to a higher and Pollets.' I had also a severe pain in my out after marriage. leis limb. I tried different linkmente, but received no relief. I could not lie still on account of the suffering in my hody. My limbs and feet were cold, and usefulness are suded, Eweenen feel sithough I was in a perspiration nearly ail the time. Sometimes I would have

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THE BASIS OF POWER. gave it such remedies as are usually given in such cases, but as nothing gav The extraordinary effect of this great relief, we sont for a physician and it discovery" upon the digestive and was under his care for a week. At this tine the cand had been size for about ton days and was having about twenty-five operations of the bowels every

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Some girls set their caps for husbands and others set their capital for titles.

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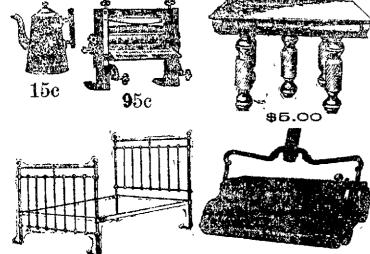
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## SOLDIER'S STRANGE CHOICE.

to Fight and So Takes His Own Life.

# Bees No Prospect of His Going to Cuba

tive of Bridgeport, Conn. Since the war broke out he had been clambring for an opportunity to go to the front, When told that his buttery would probably never see any fighting he became morose and took to drinking. Molloy walked over to the cottages occupied by the non-commissioned offieers and, while shaking hands with their wives, said. "Well, good-by; I'm going away on a long trip, and am going like a true soldier, with a bullet in

my hody."

He walked calmly away, and his friends thought nothing of his remarks. Several of the regulars saw him stroll along the rocky shore in the rear of the Twenty-second volunteers' kitchen, and then calmly sit down between two big rocks. He spread a newspaper over hig lap,

placed the muzzle of his revolver in his mouth, and pulled the trigger. The bullet penetrated the upper jaw, cut-ting off a part of the tongue, and passed out of the left temple. According to one of Molloy's friends he was a member of a sulcide club, sald to exist in Bridgeport, the constitution

### talu prescribed date. NEW TELEGRAPH WAGON.

of which provided that, unless he went to war, he should kill himself on a cer

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### LINE DRAWN AT PHILIPPINES.

Sermany Won't Object to United States Holding Caba and Puerto Rice, However.

Count Henri Conrad von Rhoden Kohsel, of Hanover, Germany, who In Washingtonville, N. Y., last May, has just returned to New York from a many, he said, would like to see Cuba uerto Rico in our hands, yet it

session of any Asiatic territory. Count von Rhoden Kohsel said Germany had greater commercial interests in the Philippines than any other nation. If these islands became poscessions of this country, he said the American tariff would ruin German commerce and manufacturing. Ger many, he declared, would object to such an extension of territory only by diplomatic means, the vast German element in this country making war an impossibility,

### SUBMARINE BOAT TEST.

Satisfactory Experiments with And datz' New Craft at Mil-

The Raddatz submarine boat was given a test the other afternoon in the bay at Milwaukee in the presence of a party of business and professional men who went out in the fireboat follow. The demonstration was satis factory, and the engineers who saw

The boat duplicated its performances at the former tests, remaining under water 40 minutes at a time, run ning backward and forward while submerged and answering to the belm the same as a boat on the surface of the

The test was witnessed by J. A. B. Reynolds, of the United States en-gineer's office, and when it was conduded he spoke in high terms of the eraft. It is his opinion that a similar boat constructed on a larger scale would be a terrible engine of destruction in war.

### Not Altogether English.

Mrs. Mary Crowinshield Endicott Chamberlain, wife of Joseph Cham-berlain, of Birmingham, England, has given \$25 to the fund of the Volunteer Aid association, and in a letter to her mother, Mrs. William C. Endicott, of Danvers, Mass., she says she wishes to be identified with the aid of the American soldiers.

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Cincinnail, account G. A. R. Encampment, one cent per mile each way. Sell September 3, 4 and 5. Good returning Sept. 6 to 16, or by the posttand payment of 25 cedts limit will be extended not later than October 3.

Pittsburg, account Knights Templar Conclave. One lare round trip. Seal tetober 6 to 13 inclusive. Good returning till Oct. 31.

Additional excursions to Olicinnati, O. Zanesville, O., Wyoming, Ill. Colorade Springs, Colo., Brocklyn, Ind. and Golambus, O. For datas, rates, etc., apply to W. I. Smith, Union Depot Ticket Agent, or J. C. Millspaugh, T. P. A., Denatur, Ill.

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSIONS.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the several townships or districts in Macon county are requested to select deligates to attend the county convention to be hold at the court house in Becatur, Hi., co MONDAY, THE 22d DAY OF AUGUST; 189°, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of piscing in nomination causidates for the following officars to be voted for at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 1798;
One County Clork.
One Sheriff,
One County Treasurer
One Judge of the County Court.
One County Superintendent of Schools.
The representation in said convention will be based upon the Republican vote cast for Presidential electors in 1805, being one delegate for every fifty or fraction of twenty-five votes of over.

Each district or township will be consider to

\*\*Daily. †-Daily Except Sunday.

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Saratoga. New York, account Y. P. C. U. Che fare round trip. Sell August 1 and 2, good returning till August 29.

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Omaba, account Retail Liquer Dealers association, One fare plus \$2.05 round trip. Sell August 29 and 21. Good returning till Sept 5.

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Taylorville, Ill., account German Day celebration, one and one third fare round trip. Soil August 10, good returning till August 10. Likelifield, Ill., account Protective Lengus Celebration; rate one and one third fare for the round trip. Sell August 4th; good roturning till August 5th.

For full information regarding dates of rate ilmits of tekelo; rates, maps and decriptive advertising matter, write or apply to C. A. Policioct, passenger and ticket agent wabash rail road, Decatur, Ilis.

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# YOU\_\_\_

Should Attend Decatur Race Meeting AUGUST 23, 24, 25 and 26.

PROGRAMME.

TUESDAY.

2:12 Class Pace
WEDNESDAY.
2:27 Class Trot
THURSDAY, "
2:27 Class Pace
FRIDAY.
2:19 Class Pace       \$500.0         2:21 Class Trot       400.0         Free for All Pace       500.0

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of read, cakes, ples, etc. Do you want plastering done, If so

Plaster Co. Perry & Oren, -5-dtf Smoke "Uncle Sam" cigars; tive in a

box for 10 cente.

L. CHODAT'S NEWS HOUSE. Look out for the Parlor Meat Market's Special sale on band Saturday .-- 8-td

turn via the Wabash for \$2, Saturday and Sunday, August 18 and 14. See fivers giving time of trains. - 6-td. Mrs. Albert C. Stifel entertained a

party of friends at a pionic on the lawn at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hill on on Friday afternson. The hours were from 4 to 8:30.

Wanted-A good girl for general house-

Go to Spencer & Lehman's for wood chain pumps and pump repairing.—mar

Call at the Wabash City or Depot offices Saturday and Sunday, August 13 and 14 and buy a \$2 excursion ticket.—6-td

Niagara Falls and return, only \$8.50 via Wahash R. R., "The Niagara Fallis Short Line," Wednesday, August 17, 11 a. m. train -4-id A social will be given at the May-

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Short Line," Wednesday, August 17, 11 s. m. train. -4-td Low rate exeursion to Chicago via I.

C. R. R., Saturday and Sunday, August 13 and 1. Only \$9 round trip.-5td What you have all walted for Chicago and return via the Wabash for \$9, Saturday and Sunday, August 13 and 14. Free reclining chair cars .- 6-td

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Rev. Frost Craft of the First M. E. burch will conduct services at the Sharon church on Tuesday evening, Au

Burdock Blood Bitters gives a man a clear head, an active brain, a strong, vicerous boky-makes him lit for the battle of life. Sold by all druggists.

Bement Register: Tuesday's Decatur now Bullock web-perfecting press, together with a history of the Ropublican, which was established In 1867, and merged into a daily in 1872. Its growing popularity is evidenced by its many improvements, the new web press, which has a speed of 16,000 per hour, being their late up to date addition. The Republi oan has taken the lead in late war news and the demand for extras exceeded the oupsoity of the old press.

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### BURGOO PICNIC

At Kretzer's Lake August 17-Dinner

and Supper for Everyone.

The mombers of the Christian church at Harristown will hold their anuna Burnoo pionic at Kretzer's Lake on Wednesday, August 17. Dinner and suppor will be served on the ground, consisting of burgeo soup, chicken, and other things which go to make up a good dinner and supper. Refreshments of varions kind will be served on the grounds and arrangements will be made to accomnodate a targe number of visitors.

Mission Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Grace Methodist church has been changed Monday afternoon (August 8) at 2:80 Conklin, corner of Franklin and Eldorado atrests. Important business domands the presence of every member and member bring her Lice Hive or Mite Box outsd. and learn why the change of date wa

Special Advertising Rates. Churches, secret secteties and other charitable and semi-charitable organiza-

tions are made a special advertising rate by the Republican of five cents a line for sch insertion of local reading notices, programs, resolutions, oto.

Births.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Doldrich Bram norbusch of Knights, on Friday, August , a daughter.

Bucklen a Arnica Salve. The Best Saive in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands Chilblains, Corns, and all Skindfruptions G. A. KELLER, Secretary.

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# ...Purple Azalea... TALKS OF HIS SON

W.H. Telford Tells of Bay's Relations with Myers Girl

### UGLY FEELING EXISTS

On the Part of Telford's Friends Against Clevenger-Both Men were Very Friendly with the Cirl.

The murder of Bay Telford by Louis A. Clevenger has stirred up a good doal colephone 528, new 'phone. Decatur Hard of feeling in the neighborhood in which the orime was committed and the people in that vicinity have by no means yet forgotten the deed committed last Sun day. W. H. Telford the father of the murdered man called at the Republican office yesterday to secure papers centaining accounts of the murder and inquest. Do not miss this. Chicago and re-Referring to the reports that there was a bad feeling against Clevenger on the and that the people expressed themselves Dr. Hostetler attended him. freely as to what they thought ought to be done with the man. Mr. Telford is the owner of an 80-acre

pumps, iron lift pumps, force pumps | lly. He has a large number of relatives living near Salem, Marton county, and also bas some distant relatives in Decatur. Mr. Tellord in speaking of the ac-Mycra, said that the young woman was keeping bouse for her tather Joseph Myers, and that Bay Telford had known her for some months past and he did not have been held in the county this season, doubt but that they were very friendly. He said that he induced his son to break off his connections with the girl for a period of six weeks but the acquaintance was renewed. Last spring Clevenger moved to the Widow Walker's place to via Wabash R. R., "The Niugara Falls cultivate a corn crop. This Mr. Telierd Tlokets good going on 6:45 a. m. train, knew nothing of Clevenger before he mer months and will probably be adopted George Allen second, Harry Manning moved to the Walker place, except that for several years he had worked for farmers in the violnity of Caenor Station. He had beard that Clevenger and the Myers girl wore to have been mar ried. He did not know then that Clevenger had a wife who had applied for a dimarriage did not take place.

### NOT YET LOCATED.

### L.M. Davidson Not Yet Heard From-In Ignorance of His Wife's Death.

L. M. Davidson, the bushand of Mrs. Davidson, who died last week from the effects of the injuries received from the accident caused by the street car running off the truck, was not found at the time of his wife's death and has not yet been beard from. It was stated at the F. B. Tait Manufacturing company, but this is not true. He is not connected. Humphreys, son's death and it has not been possible since to locate bim. He has no knowledge of his wife's death and burial and will probably not learn of the end cirounstances before reaching home.

### NOT ALLOWED

Wheelmen Must Not Ride on the Depet Platform-Privilege Abused.

Yesterday T. W. Bouglass, the depot master, and the policemen at the depot were instructed not to allow anyone to ride a bicycle on the dopot platform not on the board walk extending from the Woman's Home Missionary society of always been allowed but the privilege has been abused by some and it is needefrom the third Tuesday of the month to sary to make all suffer for it. A wheelman will frequently dush norces the plato'clock and will meet with Mrs. A. W. form when the place is crowded with accident Hereafter if wheelmen are 2:35 Class Pace..... \$400.00 as many visitors as can come. Let every walk they will be arrested and prose-

### CHICAGO STOCK MARKET.

10,000, opened five to 10 higher, closed weak; light \$3.60 to \$3.95, mixed \$3.70 to \$4, heavy \$3.65 to \$4.0234. Cattle 100, nuchanged. Sheep 2000, steady,

Cycling Party. Miss Marie Morgan, daughter of Dr.

and Mrs. E. A. Norgan of this city, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kimble of Springfield, gave a delightful cycling party to a number of friends on Wednesday afternoon. Following the ride the guests were entertained by Miss Morgan at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kimble. Among the guests was Miss Bessie Penhallegon of this city.

### STREET CAR ACCIDENT.

Charles Jones Thrown from the Car Other Accidents Yesterday.

There was an accident last night or the Riverside branch of the electric car line which might have resulted badly but fortunately no one was badly hurt Materman Jackson was running a car with two trailers. When the cars were going toward the park in Riverside place the middle trailer jumped the track and ran to one side. Charles Jones was thrown from the car and bruised his leg badly, but no bones were broken. Many of the people jumped from the our but nous of them were hurt. One man screamed loudly when he saw his child fall and the women were badly fright. ened, but there was nothing more serious. MINOR ACCIDENTS.

The 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Locis Norman dislocated an elbow while playing at the family residence on Friday nfternoon.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Scherer dislocated her elbow while was put in place by her mother before the arrival of the physician.

Diedrick Brammerbusch, a resident of there was an ugly feeling against him scratched. The wagon was a total wreck.

### AT ARGENTA.

C. E. Rally and Nashville Echo Meet-

Obristian Endeavor raily and Nashvilla coho meeting which will be quaintance of his late son with Ledosah held by the members of the Macon counon Sanday. Tomorrow will be the third and largest of the rally meetings which The Endenvorers find these meetings eskeeping up the interest in the work. It this nature that after the first flush of enthusiaem and interest the work slowly but surely begins to drag and a special supposed led to Clevenger's acquaintance effort is necessary to keep interest to the deayor to increase the membership and influence of the society. The rally meethe had his tent near the Myers house but ing which brings together the members of the society from all over the county day before the murder. Mr. Telford did are found to be the best medium for the not know personally as to what differences exchange of different plans and methods existed between his son and Clevenger, for the advancement of the work and a but supposed that the connection of the constant variety is thus introduced. The two men with the girl caused a feeling meetings will be systematically held of jealousy between them. Mr. Telford throughout the county during the sum- 11 starters. John Arthur was first, as a permanent feature of the work of third and Fred Stout fourth. The others the society.

The members who will attend the meeting at Argenta temerrow will leave Decatur at B o'clock in the morning driving to their destination and expecting to reach there in time to attend the morning church services. The meeting will open at 3 o'clock in the alternoon and there will be an afternoon and evening

The program consists of addresses on The Swerd of the Spuit and How to Wield It" by Rev. J. S. Keener of Ar- opened sheir campaign last night with genta; "Our Junior Christian Endeavor an open air meeting held at the corner of

Wheler, the vice president.

Chris Curtis.

### Evening with Field.

First M. E. church gave a Field evening at the lecture room of the church last evening. The program consisted of a sketch of the post's life given by Rev. Frost Craft, and roadings from his works by Misses Maude Martin, Myrtle Flint, Edith Starr, Miss Buchert and Messrs. Clarence Erwin and Wayne Williams. depot to the Wabash offices. Wheels have the porgram was the recitation by little One of the most enjoyable features of Holen Dawson entitled "Just Before Christmas." Miss Edith Starr's rendition of "Seein' Inings at Night," was especially good and Miss Anna Packard contributed delightfully to the program people and there is always danger of an by the singing of three of Field's souge, caught riding on the platform or on the and "The Little Peach." Following the "Little Boy Blue." "A Norse Lullaby" program trappe and wafers were served by the scoial committee under the direction of Miss Myrtle Flint.

This was the third of the series of nevenings with poets which will be given CRICAGO, Aug. b.-Receipts: Hogs by the society during the year. The two preceding were devoted to Longfallow and Riley.

### Woodman Picnic. Easterly Camp No. 1626 will ran an

excursion to Mackinaw August 21. They will be joined at Mt. Puluski by the Woodmen of the town and the Woodman band will accompany them. The boys expect a fine time and a large crowd.

### Big Picnic.

A big plonic will be given next Wednesday near Walker station. It will be given under the auspices, of the Methodist church and will be a large affair.

-Theodore Nelson of Chicago is the gueta of his father, Judge Nelson.

## **BICYCLE RACES**

Held Last Night at the Race Track.

### THE LAST OF THE SERIES

Murray Wins Mile Open, Rodgers the Five Mile Handicap and Kiel the One Mile Handicap.

At the race track last evening the members of the Wheelman's club gave meetings for the season. It was undergod that the races would settle the championship and for that reason great interest was taken in the events. There playing on Friday morning and the joint was a mile open, a mile handicap and a fivo mile bandicap.

The mile open was the first race and it began at 7:15 p. m. The starters were Knights, came to this city yesterday Kiel, Rucker, Tom Murray, Barr, Montpart of the neighbors and friends of morning with a lead of garden truck gomery, Birks, Will Murray and young Telford, Mr. Telford admitted and while driving on West Macon street Rodgers. Before the race Referee Marthat while the people were probably not his horse frightened at a bioyele and ran cott read the rules governing the race. disposed to interfore with the course of away. Brammerbusch was thrown over Each man had to furnish the pace as the law in the punishment of Clevenger the dashboard and badly bruised and some point during the mile. Rodgers started out and was the page maker for a while and then dropped in the rear. When the riders came into the home ill tud. Landa saw erogooff distribute Murray and Hirks were behind him. Murray managed to get in ahead of Rodgers at the finish. The time was H:26 4-5.

In the mile handleap there were eight starters. It was a good race and Klui with 100 yards handloap came in first and Rucker with the same handican, was second, Birks came in third, Montgomery fourth and Murray fifth.

The five mile bandleap was the best nce of the evening. There were eight starters and they were all out to win Rodgers was the winner and although the others tried bard to beat him they were upphie to do it. In the last mile he tack the lead and came in ahead with Murray and Birks chasing him hard. They could not catch him, however, and Hirks came in second. Will Murray third and Tom Murray fourth. Will Murray and Rodgers tied the number of points made last night and Rodgers is still two points abend of Murray.

The clerks of the Drobisch Bros. grovery astere held a race last, evening after was a two mile handleap and there were in the race were Ed Drobisch, Will Young, C. Hart, Dick Wilson, Charles Cameron, Bruce Manning and Arthur

### CAMPAIGN OPENEU.

Prohibitionists Held First Meeting Last Night-17 Present.

The Prohibitionists of Mason gounty

Work," by Mrs. R. J. Simpson of Deca- King and Monroe streets. There was a tur; "Our Workshop," by Miss Carrie E. small audience present to listen to talks Knapp; "The Elements of Our Pledge," | made by Rev. J. H. Hughey, Rev. A. by A.J. M. Taylor; Question Box, con-W. Hawkins and D. L. Bunn, The queted by Miss Ethel Dimock; "The speakers talked in a characteristic man-Secret of Power " by W. Dawson; "Nash- ner of the need of abolishing the liquo ville Echees" by J. L. Deck; "Christian traffic and the impossibility of doing thi time of Mrs. Davidson's injury that Mr. Chitzenship. By wayne williams and by any out. Rev. Hughey said that the muzzle Davidson was a traveling salesman for the the Church and the World. by Miss Ida of the guns should be pointed directly at the Church and the World. Citizenship" by Wayne Williams and by any other than the means of voting it the enemy, that men should vote as they The afternoon session will be in charge | pray, that the liquer traffic is wrong and with that firm but is traveling for a commission house. His whereabouts were of the president, J. L. Deck, and the everyone knows it and the only way to not known at the time of Mrs. David- evening session in charge of Miss Lulu get it out of the land is to vote it out. D.L. Bunn recalled his experience as dis-It is expected that a number of others triot prosecuting attorney and said while from Decator will attend the meeting, serving in this capacity he found most among them will be R. J. Simpson and of the crime was easily traced to the liquor traffic. He spoke of the Inability of the old parties to protect or restrict The good literature committee of the manner in which the law was being Senior Christian Endeavor scolety of the violaton in the open gambling houses and other vices. He believes a new party

> necessary to subdue these vices. Rev. Hawkins made a short talk and the holding of a big meeting in the W.C. T. U. hall was discussed. The date for the next meeting has not been settled.

### BASE BALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. St. Louis 5, Brooklyn 1. Louisville 4, Boston 2, Washington 2, Cleveland 1. New York 9-1, Cincinnati 5-9. Pittsburg 8, Philadelphia 0. Chicago 5-1, Baltimore 6-6

El Paso 8, Lexington 0.



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MADRID, August 7.—S bad grace. The Spanish ans not discuss the proposals, but imposed on Spain by force.

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WASHINGTON, Augus day received confidential advi the reply to the American ter

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 8 torney General Griggs were in honr today, \_ ng at 12:30 o nounced that official notification had not yet been received. T will receive the formal accepta counted for by the required stages via Paris.

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